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Amendments to Senate Bill No. 63 Date 2-16-07 1st Reading Copy

Bill No. 58-63

Requested by Senator Vicki Cocchiarella

For the Senate State Administration Committee

Prepared by Dave Bohyer February 16, 2007 (2:36pm)

1. Title, line 4.

Following: "FOR"

Insert: "THE MEMBERS OF MOST"

Strike: "BOARD"

2. Title, line 5.

Strike: "MEMBERS"

Insert: "BOARDS; REVISING THE DAILY PAY RATE OF THE MEMBERS OF CERTAIN BOARDS ATTACHED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY"

Strike: "SECTION" Insert: "SECTIONS"

Following: "2-15-124,"

Insert: "37-22-201, 37-26-202, 37-28-103, AND 37-34-201,"

3. Page 2.

Following: line 13

Insert: "Section 2. Section 37-22-201, MCA, is amended to read: "37-22-201. Duties of board <u>-- compensation</u>. (1)

board:

(1)(a) shall recommend prosecutions for violations of 37-22-411 and 37-23-311 to the attorney general or the appropriate county attorney, or both;

(2) (b) shall meet at least once every 3 months to perform the duties described in Title 37, chapters 1, 22, and 23. The board may, once a year by a consensus of board members, determine that there is no necessity for a board meeting.

(3)(c) shall adopt rules that set professional, practice, and ethical standards for social workers and professional counselors and other rules as may be reasonably necessary for the administration of chapter 23 and this chapter; and

(4)(d) may adopt rules governing the issuance of licenses of special competence in particular areas of practice as a licensed professional counselor. The board shall establish criteria for each particular area for which a license is issued.

(2) Each board member is eligible to receive compensation and travel expenses as provided for in 37-1-133."

{Internal References to 37-22-201:

37-22-101 37-22-301 37-23-101 OK/DDB}"

- (2) Special meetings may be called by any two board members or the presiding officer.
- (3) Each board member is eligible to receive compensation and travel expenses as provided for in 37-1-133."

  {Internal References to 37-26-202: None. OK/DDB}

Insert: "Section 4. Section 37-28-103, MCA, is amended to read:

- "37-28-103. Board meetings -- procedure -- compensation -- seal. (1) (a) The board shall meet at least once a year. The board may convene at the request of the presiding officer or at other times the board determines necessary to transact its business.
- (b) The governor shall designate the presiding officer of the board.
- (3) Each board member is eligible to receive compensation and travel expenses as provided for in 37-1-133.
- (2)(4) The board shall adopt a seal by which the board may authenticate its documents."
  {Internal References to 37-28-103: None. OK/DDB}"

Insert: "Section 5. Section 37-34-201, MCA, is amended to read:

- "37-34-201. Powers and duties of board -- rulemaking authority -- compensation. (1) The board shall:
- (a) meet at least once annually, and at other times as agreed upon, to elect officers and to perform the duties described in Title 37, chapter 1, and this section; and
- (b) administer oaths, take affidavits, summon witnesses, and take testimony as to matters within the scope of the board's duties.
- (2) The board has the authority to administer and enforce all the powers and duties granted statutorily or adopted administratively.
- (3) The board shall adopt rules to administer this chapter. The rules must include but are not limited to:
- (a) the development of acceptable certifications for each category of license;
- (b) the establishment of criteria for educational requirements that, at a minimum, meet the standards set forth in 37-34-303; and
- (c) a requirement that the supervisor of a clinical laboratory technician be accessible at all times that testing is being performed by the technician in order to provide onsite, telephonic, or electronic consultation.
- (4) Each board member is eligible to receive compensation and travel expenses as provided for in 37-1-133."
  {Internal References to 37-34-201:

37-34-305 OK/DDB}"

Renumber: subsequent section